



**WASHINGTON DEPARTMENT
OF FISH AND WILDLIFE
FINAL DETERMINATION OF
NON-SIGNIFICANCE**

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**STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE**

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REVISED DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE

The Department of Fish and Wildlife has considered comments received on the original Threshold Determination for this project and is providing additional information that may be of interest to other agencies or the public. The information provided does not substantially change the analysis of the significant impacts in the existing environmental checklist.

Name of Proposal: O.K. CORRAL ROAD ABANDONMENT PROJECT

Description of Proposal: The proponent proposes to decommission, and then at a later date, abandon, the O.K. Corral Road from Wenas County Road to the ridge top. The existing bridge will remain in place. All culverts will be removed and channels reshaped by side sloping of at least 2:1, and placement of brush in the channel to minimize erosion.

The proponent shall incorporate the following mitigation measures into the project:

1. The proponent will decommission the road prior to future road abandonment.

Proponent: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife, Engineering Division, 600 Capitol Way North, Olympia, Washington. Contact Person: Leslie Durham.

Location of Proposal, including street, if any: Wenas Wildlife Area, Off of Wenas County Road, Six Miles Southwest of Ellensburg, Washington, Yakima County; Sections 01, 12, 13, 24, Township 16 North, Range 17 East WM

Lead Agency: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of the completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

There is no comment period for the Revised DNS.

Responsible Official: Cynthia R. Pratt

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